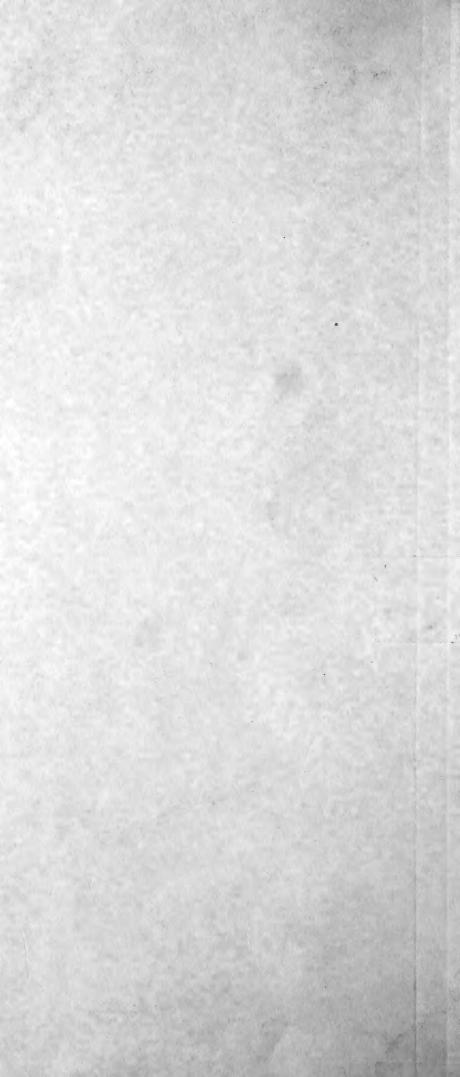
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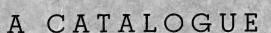
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#### FOREWORD

Daylilies can be relied upon for a wealth of bloom and masses of color in practically all types of soil and weather without the fuss and bother of combating insects and disease. In mid-summer, when bloom from other perennials is scarce, daylilies are at their peak. During and after mid-summer vacation neglect, the bright starlike flowers of hemerocallis are always there and waiting to greet you. Most reliable of all flowers "The Flower of Character".

Eminent plant breeders have made rapid progress in the development and improvement of Hemerocallis. The flowers are as large and beautiful as those of the finest bulb lillies. Established plants of some varieties have flowering scapes (stalks) with as many as fifty buds which open and flower over a two to six week period. Daylilies are now available in a wide range of colors, color patterns, heights and flower shapes. A proper selection of varieties will furnish bloom spring to frost. All varieties have the quality of facing their flowers outward to the light or open when planted near walls, shrubbery, etc.

Daylily uses are many and varied. They are equally at home in the perennial border, rock garden, foreground of shrubbery or evergreen plantings, near pools and along the banks of small streams. They require very little attention and are easy to grow and transplant. Their charm and beauty in the garden is creating many new daylily enthusiasts annually. Try a few this year. They are permanent and will be a pleasure for years.

#### HEMEROCALLIS

Our listing groups the various varieties in accordance with their blooming periods. Group No. 1 lists those that bloom first in Spring. Group No. 2 those that are starting to bloom as the first group finishes, etc. Blooming periods will vary to some extent under different conditions of sun, shade and moisture. Our manner of listing, should enable our customers to conveniently select varieties to obtain continuous bloom.

#### **GROUP 1 (May here)**

**APRICOT.** (Yeld.) Medium sized flowers, light apricot orange. 2 ft. 60c.

**BLANCHE HOOKER.** (Stout.) This early red blooms again in Fall under favorable conditions. The brick red color is brightened by the orange-yellow throat. 3 ft. \$2.00.

**CAPRICE.** (Stout.) This one cannot be adequately described, but must be seen. Color is a light brown red with throat and edge of sepals cadmium. Small flowered, dainty and attractive. 2 ft. \$2.00.

**EARLIANA.** (Betscher.) Earliest of the large flowered kinds. Golden yellow. 3 ft. \$1.50.

**ELIZABETH.** (Norton.) Long stem, fragrant, light primuline yellow. Early and lovely.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. \$1.00.

MINOR. (Species.) Low growing clear light yellow dwarf. Fine for rock garden. Reblooms in Fall here when established and in sun. 1 ft. 75c.

#### GROUP 2 (May-June here)

**BRUNETTE.** Stout. Algerian red, chrome throat, madder-brown midzone. A profusion of small flowers on well branched stems. Good evenings. 2½ ft. \$1.00.

**DOVER.** (Betscher.) The tallest of the early large flowered varieties. Color Ta Ming yellow which is a deep yellow shading toward orange. 4 ft. 75c.

FLAVINA. (Fewkes.) A charming bright lemon yellow blooming with the late Iris. An improvement over the old Flava or lemon lily. 2 ft. \$1.00.

JUDGE ORR. (Orr.) Beautiful and blooms with the Iris. Soft orange yellow. 2½ ft. \$1.50.

**THE RANGER.** (Russell.) Low growing, early variety. 4 inch flowers of garnet red, golden throat. 2 ft. \$1.00.

**WINSOME.** Wide open light yellow 3½ inch flowers that are fragrant and of fine form. Profuse bloom for 5 weeks when established. 3 ft. \$1.00.

#### **GROUP** 3 (June here)

ANNIS V. RUSSELL. (Russell.) Very large and beautiful flowers of golden glow yellow. Foliage evergreen. Slow to establish but worth waiting for. Not recommended where winter temperatures frequently drop to zero or below. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

**BARONET.** (Stout.) Chrysanthemum red or crimson-orange with a deep chrome yellow throat. Often blooms again in Fall. Attractive foreground variety, remains open evenings. 2 ft. \$1.00.

**B. H. FARR.** (Stout.) Rosy buff, or grenadine pink with darker veinings. Petals curved. Open evenings. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

CHISCA. (Fisher.) Henna-red petals, light chrome yellow sepals. The earliest bi-color and a very beautiful Hem that should be better known. Open evenings. Generally reblooms in early Fall. 3 ft. \$1.00.

**DUNCAN.** (Wheeler.) Large flower, dark maroon red with bright golden throat. Vigorous strong grower.\* 3 ft. \$1.50.

FIREBRAND. (Stout.) Brazil red with a wide dark yellow throat. Lower petal extends horizontally. Two upper petals have a Wau Bun twist. Sepals recurved. All segments somewhat narrow. Good branching, stands sun and is open evenings. 2½ ft. \$3.00.

ITSY BITSY. (Dill 1950.) Dwarf bicolor, salmon pink petals, yellow sepals,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inch flowers on 1 ft. scape. Foliage evergreen. Propagating for 1952 sales.

**JACK.** (Watkins.) A low grower with 3 inch Garnet Red flowers, small yellow throat. Height 15 to 17 inches.\* \$1.50.

MIKADO. (Stout.) Large flowers, mellow orange with a conspicuous mahogany red eye. Daylily specialists rate this variety among the top notchers. 5 inch flowers. 3 ft. 75c.

MODESTY. (Betscher). Medium sized pale yellow. When established, is in bloom May 25th to June 25th here in St. Louis. If you grow Modesty until it is established you will keep it always. 3 ft. 75c.

**SANTA MARIA.** (Russell.) Ground color near old rose, yellow-green throat. Large flowers, open evenings. Use in foreground. 2½ ft. \$1.00.

**SPITFIRE.** (Russell.) Semi-dwarf in height. Flowers somewhat small, bright bronzy red. 2 ft. \$1.00.

WAU BUN. (Stout.) Large flowers of light chrome yellow with an inconspicuous faint sprinkling of bronzy red. Tips of the glistening petals are twisted. Distinctive and in heavy demand. 2 ft. \$1.25.

#### **GROUP 4 (June-July here)**

**BLACK HILLS.** (Russell.) A diffusion of black blending with ruby red. Good branching. 3 ft. \$2.00.

**BLACK PRINCE.** (Russell.) Dark maroon red with darker veining and an almost black throat band around the bright orange throat. Wide petals and sepals, latter recurved. 5 inch flowers on good branching. 33 inches. \$3.00.

BROWN EYED SUSAN. (Eleanor Hill.) Soft light yellow with a neat arching red-brown halo on petals. Sweet Sue in a garden song. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

**BERGUNDY.** (Nesmith.) Large wide open flowers of wine or red purple. Soft yellow throat. Plant vigorous and extra long blooming. 3 ft. \$2.00.

**CABALLERO.** (Stout.) An outstanding gay bi-color. Petals antique ruby, sepals and throat light chrome yellow. Fragrant and very showy. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

**CRIMSON CLOVER.** (Nesmith.) General effect is clover pink. Tall and many blooms.  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. \$2.00.

**DEMI-TASSE.** (Wheeler). A semi-dwarf bicolor. Small tubular shaped flowers with pointed segments. Dark red-brown petals and buff sepals sprinkled with petal color. 20 inches \$1.00.

**DEMON.** (Russell.) Brilliant glistening 4 inch orange-red flowers. 27 inches \$1.00.

**DOMINION.** (Stout.) Large Indian Red flowers with darker eyezone on petals. Star shaped deep chrome yellow throat. Stands sun and remains open evenings. Blooms again in very late summer. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

**DOROTHEA.** (Lester.) Large flowers in an unusual blending of soft colors. Wide buff-pink petals, light yellow sepals. Heliotrope shading surrounds a chartreuse throat. Fragrant. 2½ ft. \$5.00.

GAY TROUBADOR. (Nesmith.) Petals bright Indian red in stunning contrast to the frosty maize yellow sepals. This variety is scarce due to unusual beauty and demand. Large 5 inch flowers. 3 ft. \$3.00.

**GOLDEN SCEPTER.** (Nesmith.) The 5 inch flowers of Spanish Gold have a glistening sheen and crimped edges on petals. Tall and stately. Flowers have heavy substance and are open evenings. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

**GOLDEN WEST.** (Sass.) Tall growing, large flowered yellow. Sturdy well branched scapes. Heaxy textured flowers. An all around fine daylily used extensively for breeding. 4 ft. \$1.00.

**GYPSY.** (Betscher.) Glistening deep orange, shaded with red in a beautiful blend. Increases fast. Garden visitors buy it on sight. 3 ft. 75c.

**HAILE SELASSIE.** (Wheeler.) The prominent and very light colored midribs are in striking contrast to the deep purple color of the large flowers, giving a beautiful decorative effect. Profuse bloom. 3½ ft. \$5.00.

**HAZEL SAWYER.** (Wheeler.) The beautiful color of this variety is Maya, a shade of pinkish tan with a faint lavender underglow. Throat band slightly darker. Requires noon and P.M. shade. Good branching.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. \$2.00.

JILL. (Watkins.) A dwarf with 3 inch cherry red flowers. Small yellow throat. Fine for edging or rock garden use. Deciduous and hardy. 1 ft. \$2.00.

**KEEPSAKE.** (Russell.) A semi-dwarf with deep yellow flowers. 2 ft.\* \$1.00.

LADY FERMOR HESKETH. Large waxy flowers of medium yellow, shaded apricot. Frosted sheen. Very fine. 3 ft. 75c.

**MARGARET.** (Cook.) The large smoothly finished flowers are a self of soft buff yellow even to the bottom of the throat. Sunfast and sure to please. 3 ft. \$2.00.

MARY GUENTHER. (Russell.) This eyecatching bicolor has Egyptian red petals and cadmium yellow sepals. A gypsy colored must-have. Large flowers, well branched stems. Not tall. Good in foreground. 2½ ft. \$1.50.

**MISSION BELLS.** (Hall.) One of the finer lemon yellows. A profusion of  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inch flowers with wide petals, edges ruffled.  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. \$3.50.

**MONONA.** (Kraus.) Large cadmium yellow flowers. Use in front of the border or in rock garden. Height only 20 inches. \$3.00.

MRS. B. F. BONNER. (Russell.) A large flowered light yellow similar to Hyperion, but taller and earlier blooming. Evergreen. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

**PATRICIA.** (Stout.) Clear light yellow with a faint tinge of green in the throat. Petals and sepals wide and recurved. Fragrant and remains open evenings. 3 ft. \$1.00.

**PORT.** (Stout.) A profusion of small but full bright orange-red flowers on well branched scapes. Low grower in great demand for foreground use. Remains open evenings. 27 inches. \$1.50.

**PRIDE OF HOUSTON.** (Russell.) Chinook red petals, with darker throat band. Sepals a shade lighter. Fine branching. Showy large flowers. 3 ft. \$1.00.

**PURPLE EMPEROR.** (Russell.) Rich redpurple, enhanced by cream midrib in petals, green throat. Vigorous and the best reasonable priced purple. 4 ft. \$2.00.

**PURPLE WATERS.** (Russell.) In the dictionary of color this flower is "Old Roseleaf," (plate 7-J-3) but it is a fine variety and does have a purple effect in the garden. Long blooming season. \$1.00.

REGAL LADY. (Nesmith.) Wide rose colored petals, cream sepals brushed rose. When established its sunfast flowers that are open evenings are borne on  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. well branched scapes that carry more than 50 buds. New scapes follow making this one of the longest and most profuse blooming daylilies. \$3.00.

**ROSE ELEGANCE.** (Russell.) Small flowered put a lovely pink toned bit of garden beauty. \$3.00.

**SACHEM.** (Stout.) A full flower of garnet red with a contrasting throat of greenish orange. Brilliant and holds its color in hot sun. Fragrant flowers on tall fine branched scapes. \$1.00.

SEMINOLE CHIEF. (Mrs. Hill and Lester.) Cherry red 5 inch flowers of fine form on tall stems. Very attractive. Tall. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

**SHIRLEY.** (Ladham.) An old variety, but one of the finest.  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inch chrome lemon full flowers, ruffled and recurved and with sparkling sheen. 30 buds per scape, sunfast and open evenings.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. \$1.00.

**SOUDAN.** (Stout.) The 4½ inch flowers of Lemon Yellow have petals almost 2 inches wide with ruffled and crimped edges. Beauty of form and fragrance exceeded by none. Excellent substance and sun resistance. 2½ ft. \$1.00.

**TAJ MAHAL.** (Russell.) Semi-dwarf in height but striking in appearance with  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inch golden yellow flowers enhanced by a red-purple prominent eyezone. 27 inches. \$1.50.

**TEJAS.** (Russell.) Intense fiery red with velvety sheen and darker eyezone. 3 ft. \$2.00.

**THERON.** (Stout.) A Dr. Stout masterpiece. Dark mahogany red with slightly darker zone around the small orange throat. General effect is red-purple and gold. Very striking. 2½ ft. \$1.50.

#### **GROUP 5 (July here)**

**ATHLONE.** (Russell.) A 6 inch bicolor of outstanding beauty. The tips of the long segments are strongly recurved. Petals are cinnamon pink, slightly darker as if brushed on at eyezone. Wide throat and sepals of pale yellow. Outer portion of sepals are tinted with petal color. 2½ ft. \$3.00.

**BERWYN.** (Traub & Cooley.) Bright carmine, yellow throat. The 4 inch sparkling flowers have slightly narrow segments. The color is extraordinary. 3 ft. \$2.25.

**BOBOLINK.** (Wheeler.) Flower form and coloring of this bicolor is unique. Under some sun conditions the wide petals show a purple glow under the Tapestry Red coloring. The wide sepals are pointed and are buff colored, lightly brushed with wine red. 3½ ft. \$4.00.

**BOUNTIFUL.** (Cook.) A sun resisting 5 inch flowered wide petalled lemon yellow. Demand for this variety is increasing rapidly. 3 ft. \$1.50.

**CANARI.** (Nesmith.) Pale sulphur yellow 5 inch flowers. Open evenings. 3½ ft. \$2.00.

**CARISSIMA.** (Nesmith.) Glistening, velvety textured medium sized flowers of pale salmon pink. Shaded deeper pink around a tiny chartreuse throat. Beautiful beyond words. 3 ft. Fall delivery. \$6.00.

**CATHEDRAL TOWERS.** (Milliken.) The 5 inch yellow flowers have a sharply defined maroon pyramid or tower on each petal. Foliage evergreen. 3 ft.\* \$3.50.

**CELLINI.** (Wheeler.) Formed like an amaryllis with round overlapping petals. Narcissus yellow. A masterpiece. 3 ft. \$8.00.

CHINGHAI. (Dill 1950.) Large 5½ inch flowers of Topaz or antique gold, lightly brushed brown around the wide jasmine yellow throat. Named for its oriental effect in a clump. Luxurious foliage. 40 buds on 3 ft. scapes. \$6.00.

**CHIANTI.** (Nesmith.) A raspberry self giving a purple effect in the garden. Tiny yellow throat. If you like variety in color be sure to include this one. 3 ft. \$1.50.

**CHLOE.** (Nesmith.) Large yellow, fully rounded, wide petalled flowers, dotted, flecked and veined with red-brown or cinnamon. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

**DAUNTLESS.** (Stout.) A nice golden yellow with wide overlapping petals and good substance. 2½ ft. 75c.

**DAWN PLAY.** (Nesmith.) This classic in flower shape and color is a stand-out. Color is wall flower red, an unusual shade for Hemerocallis. Petals have slightly darker veining, but no halo. The yellow throat on petals only is triangular in shape and extends up as a midrib. Sepal tips recurve. Thin pencil line of yellow on edges of petals and sepals. 4 ft. \$3.50.

**DELIGHT.** (Cook.) Delightful combination of open spreading form. The soft yellow flowers have a pinkish rim around the throat. A fine creation. Stands sun.  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. \$2.00.

**DEVON CREAM.** (Nesmith.) Pale cream colored blooms of heavy texture. The wide petals have beautifully fluted edges. 39 inches. \$5.00.

**EASTER MORN.** (Wheeler). The bronze yellow petals are very wide and almost circular in shape and have a ½ inch wide border of Ta Ming yellow, which is the sepal color. We recommend it highly. 4½ inch flowers. 3 ft. \$5.00.

FLORIDA. (Hayward.) Light chrome yellow with tints of buff and rose. Darker eye zone. Medium size flowers, excellent bloomer. 3 ft. \$1.00.

**GEORGIA.** (Stout.) Full, wide spreading, 6 inch flowers of pale buff shaded and tinted with pink. Petals have darker veining but no halo. 3½ ft. \$4.00.

**HALO.** (Wheeler.) Unusual form. The wide wavy bluntly pointed petals form a rough triangle. The sepals curve back very sharply filling in the gap between petals without destroying the triangular flower shape. The Halo forms a bronze triangle within the yellow overall coloring of the 4 inch flowers. 3 ft. \$2.50.

**HESPERUS.** (Sass.) Magnificent 7 inch flowers of empire yellow (Plate 9-K-3). Plant is tall and well branched. Recognized nationwide as one of the finest. 4 ft. \$1.50.

**HONEY REDHEAD.** (Nesmith.) Flaring flowers of velvety nasturtium red with a border of creamy yellow. Chrome throat. Petals and sepals recurved. It's a honey. 3 ft. \$3.00.

**HYPERION.** (Mead.) Large 5 inch flowers of soft light yellow. In heavy demand year after year. 3½ ft. 75c.

JIMMIE JR. (Norton.) Wide open flower of burnt orange color. Midrib in both petals and sepals is golden glow yellow with small throat of same color. Not a profuse bloomer but a beautiful flower. 3 ft. 75c.

KANAPAHA. (Watkins.) Clear cardinal red self. Full petalled medium large flowers.\* 2½ ft. \$5.00.

LIGHTS OF PARIS. (Russell.) 4½ inch yellow flowers with the tip half of the petals totem red. Extra fine branching and a more than usual number of flowers open at once is the specialty of this variety. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

LINDA. (Stout.) Medium large flowers with crinkled petals of deep golden yellow sprinkled cinnamon, sepals clear corn yellow. English red eye.

**LONE STAR.** (Russell.) Beautiful extra large mahogany red flowers. When better distributed will rate high in popularity. 3½ ft. \$4.00.

(Kraus.) MABEL FULLER. The name of Kraus after a daylily creation is a practical guarantee of quality as gardeners know who have this dark reflexed red glowing in their borders. 3 ft. Fall delivery. \$5.00.

MARTHA WASHINGTON. (Wheeler.) Near old rose coloring. A hemerocallis that is different. The very wide segments are strongly recurved causing the medium sized flowers to appear small. flowers have durability without heavy substance which is unusual. 3 ft. when established. \$8.50.

MATADOR. (Nesmith.) Rich monterey red petals, burnt sienna sepals. 4½ inch flowers are borne branched scapes. 3 ft. \$1.00.

MEZZOTINT. (Emigholz.) Extra large flowers of Florida Gold with a shading of fulvous red on throat band and sepals. Same coloring as Gypsy, but twice the size. 3½ ft. \$2.50.

MINNIE. (Hayward.) Medium sized flowers of lustrous velvety Arabian Red with darker veining and blackish red halo, illuminated by a glowing golden orange throat Wide petals and sharply recurved sepals produce the beautiful flower form. Excellent substance, stands sun and is open evenings. ft. \$2.00.

MONGOL. (Norton.) Very large 6 inch flowers of clear lemon yellow. Wide ruffled petals and long narrow sepals. Blooms a month on well branched scapes. 3½ ft. \$4.00.

MOONRAY. (Nesmith.) If you are exacting or hard to please try this fascinating pale yellow with its clear neat Pompeian Red semi-halo and flaring wavy petals. Use in foreground. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

NARANJA. (Wheeler.) A solid golden orange with ruffled irregularly recurved wide petals. The 6 inch sunfast flowers remain open after dark. Many rate it the best in its color. 3 ft. \$6.00.

**PAINTED LADY.** (Russell.) Large ruffled flowers spreading up to 8 inches when well grown. Yellow with a cinnamon overlay. Evergreen. 3 ft. \$6.00.

PERSIAN PRINCESS. (Nesmith.) Deep velvety Arabian red petals flushed purple. Sepals a shade lighter, but with same color effect. Beautiful and impressive. 3½ ft. \$3.00.

PINK QUEEN. (The Merry's.) Coral pink with yellow midrib and deeper rose midsection. 3½ ft. \$2.50.

**POTENTATE.** (Nesmith.) This full flowered variety, described as pansy purple, is a shade darker than mauverose in color. It is one color, including stamens and pistil, except far down in the throat. Brightness is due to a glowing, satiny sheen. 3 ft. \$6.00.

**PRIMA DONNA.** (B. Taylor.) Originator describes as very large peach colored with golden yellow throat that comes up on petals and sepals in a convex arch in an interesting effect. Long flowering season and an excellent seed parent. 3 ft. August or Sept. delivery. \$5.00.

**PSYCHE.** (Wheeler.) Large light yellow flowers with faint darker dusting in midsection. The long wide creped and frilled segments recurve as do the falls of an iris. 3½ ft. \$12.50.

**ROSALIND.** (Stout.) Clear uniform radiance pink with a deeper rose eye zone. 3 ft. \$2.00.

ROSE GEM. (Stout.) Actual color is a deep pink with a faint copper radiation. An excellent Hem producing an abundance of large 5½ inch flowers of exquisite form on well branched scapes. 3½ ft. \$3.00.

**ROSELLE.** (Rudy.) Beautiful 4 inch flowers of antique ruby with a red purple under glow and a small bright yellow star shaped throat. Wide petals and recurved sepals of excellent substance. Open evenings. 2½ ft. \$3.00.

ROYAL BEAUTY. (B. Taylor.) Large flowers of Peony Red or Burmese Ruby with a small green-gold throat. Upper petal and sepals recurve. The 2 lower petals are wavy and slightly twist at the tips. Flowers are sun enduring, open evenings and borne on erect scapes that have proliferations. 3 ft. \$3.00.

ROYAL RUBY. (Nesmith.) Medium sized flowers of intense glowing, almost crimson, red with just a trace of yellow in the throat. Real class in color, form and finish. 2½ ft. \$4.00.

RUBY SUPREME. (Wheeler.) Large wide petalled flower of antique ruby. Sepals a shade lighter, greenish gold throat. Narrow gold line extends through petals. Strong grower and an excellent daylily. 3 ft. \$3.50.

RUSSELL'S MINUET. (Russell.) A large flowered, low growing, pastel shaded bicolor. The wide petals are near "Attar of Roses" color with green tinted yellow sepals. Midrib of petals and throat yellow-green. Flowers have good substance. Open evenings. Use in foreground. 2 ft. \$1.00.

**SALINE FLAME.** (Rudy.) A floriferous Nasturtium Red with a contrasting star shaped golden yellow throat. A fine yellow mid line in petals and a wire edge of yellow on sepals add beauty and illumination. The 5 inch flowers stand sun and are open evenings. 40 to 50 buds per scape on established plants. Will rate high when better known.  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. \$4.00.

SCORCHER. (Russell.) A flaming blend of deep gold and Arabian red. It not only looks its name, but lives it. Locate it in full sun. Stands drouth. Has the unusual quality of shooting new bloom stalks immediately after the previous ones complete blooming The 4½ inch blooms are open evenings. 3½ ft. \$3.00.

SU LIN. (Nesmith.) Chinese for "A little bit A lovely bicolor of pale lilac and creamy yellow. Needs partial shade. 3 ft. \$3.00.

**SUN RAY.** (Nesmith.) Smooth lacquer-like finish, lovely flower of apricot yellow with contrasting purple zone in throat. A real beauty. 3 ft. \$2.00.

**SWEET BRIAR.** (Nesmith.) Bright, well formed large flowers of rosy pink. Soft yellow throat. Vigorous and hardy. 3 ft. \$4.00.

**TAMIAMI.** (Watkins.) Pompeian red self with slightly darker veining in petals. The color effect is soft rose. Beautiful large 5½ inch flowers. 2½ ft. Evergreen.\* \$3.00.

VALIANT. (Cook.) Massive glowing flowers of clear orange. Heavy textured wide petals and sepals that are crimped and waxed. Rated the highest in its color class in 1949. 3 ft. \$4.00.

**ZION.** (Rudy.) A summer blooming semi-dwarf with 3 inch flowers of substance and beauty. Maroon colored with darker shading around the small bright orange throat. Strongly recurved petals and sepals. 20 inches. \$3.00.

#### **GROUP 6 (July-August here)**

APRICOT QUEEN. (Sass Bros.) The deep chrome petals are shaded with pink and are wavy and recurved. The golden-corn sepals recurve sharply. All accentuated by a pale green throat. The 5 inch flowers are sunfast, and opening evenings. 42 buds. 3 ft. Fall delivery. \$4.00.

**AUGUST ORANGE.** (Stout.) 4 inch flowers of rich orange or deep chrome. Profuse bloom on well branched 3 ft. scapes. \$2.00.

**BAGGETTE.** (Russell.) A beautiful pattern in pastel colors. Sepals, throat and inner half of petals are chrome-lemon, outer half of petals light hyacinth red. A delicate exquisite bicolor. This wide petalled rosy-cheeked beauty is a late bloomer. Use in foreground. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

**DOROTHY McDADE.** (Sass.) A large flowered pure yellow. 3 ft. \$1.00.

ENCHANTRESS. (Cummings.) Clusters of medium sized soft yellow full flowers. Coppery gold tints on sepals and throat band. Wide petals and wide open. Excellent branching and long blooming season. 4 inch flowers on tall scapes. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

FAIRY JEWELS. (Nesmith.) A tall and late blooming salmon pink self. Smooth and firm substance. 40 buds on scapes with splendid branching. 5 to 6 weeks bloom. Wide open 5 inch flowers. 3½ ft. \$6.00.

FAR NORTH. (Nesmith.) The finest late blooming lemon yellow. The 5 inch heavy substanced flowers are borne profusely on 4 ft. sturdy well branched scapes. Fall delivery. \$6.00.

JEAN. (McDade.) One of the finest bicolors. Large 6 inch flowers with roundly recurved segments. Petals are burnt sienna with a golden-glow yellow midrib which is the throat and sepal coloring. Sun resistant, open evenings and in bloom 6 weeks or longer when established. 3½ ft. \$3.50.

**MORPHEUS.** (Sass Stump.) The 5 inch glistening lemon yellow flowers are ruffled and recurved, sunfast and open evenings. 3½ ft. \$2.00.

PINK CHARM. (Nesmith.) Originator describes it as a beautiful open flower with very recurving petals and sepals of soft Ocher red giving the effect of a deeply colored coral pink lily. The center of the flower shows a star of light cadmium in pleasing contrast to the pink stamens. 3½ ft. \$2.00.

**PURPLE FLASH.** (Russell.) A bicolor with purple petals and yellow sepals tinted purple. Deeper purple band around the throat Recurring bloom July to Sept. 3 ft. \$1.50.

**RED HUSSAR.** (Nesmith.) Medium sized nasturtium red flowers with star shaped yellow throat. 60 buds per scape and blooms 2 months when established. \$3.00.

**REVOLUTE.** (H. P. Sass.) Large lemon yellow flowers, fluted and recurved. Rated high in the 1950 popularity voting. 3½ ft. \$2.00.

SUSAN. (Russell.) Large 6 inch flowers. Ruffled red petals with yellow markings. Yellow sepals, edged red. Large star shaped greenish throat. Very showy. 30 buds on good branching. 3½ ft. \$2.00.

**ZEZETTE.** (Taylor.) Medium sized flowers of Colonial Rose coloring. A heavy and prominent midrib of primuline yellow shading into a pale green throat combines with the general coloring in an artistic decorative effect. Wonderful branching.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. \$6.00.

#### GROUP 7 (August & Aug.-Sept. here)

AUGUST PIONEER. (Stout.) Medium sized chrome orange flowers. Light flush of red on outer portion of petals is not noticeable except on close inspection. Fine branching and long blooming period. 3 ft. 75c.

**AUTUMN PRINCE.** (Stout.) Small clear yellow flowers in profusion over a long period. 3 ft. \$1.00.

RUSSELL'S PRAIRIE GOLD. (Russell.) Light orange or deep golden yellow 4½ inch blooms. A self including stamens and pistil. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

SUSAN TREADWELL. (Sass.) Large 6 inch very fragrant flowers of empire yellow. Glistening sheen, sunfast and open evenings. Deciduous. 3½ ft. Fall delivery. \$4.00.

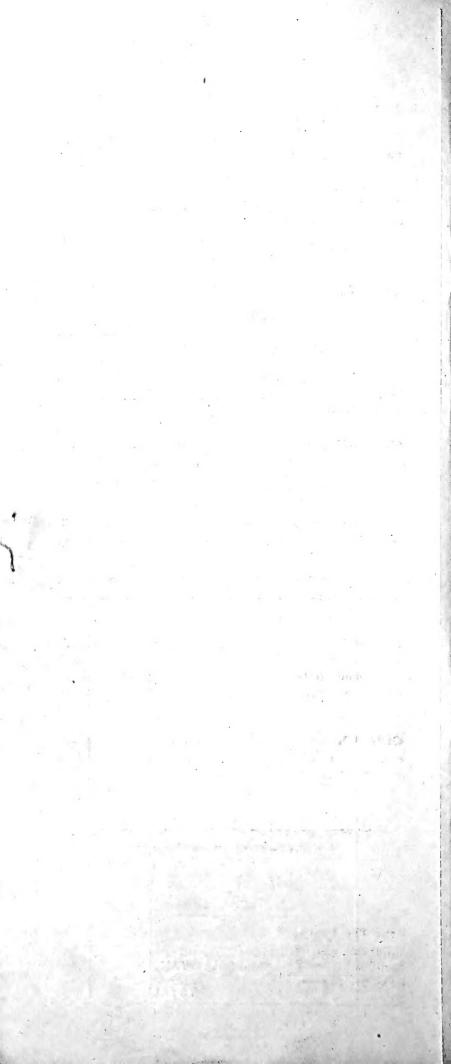


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FIRST YEAR RESULTS: Early blooming varieties planted in Spring may fail to bloom until the following Spring. Do not judge any variety the first year as the performance with respect to flower size, color, plant height and branching are all below par.

HARDINESS LINE: On a U. S. Map draw a line from the Northwest tip of the State of Oklahoma to Cleveland, Ohio and from Cleveland to Boston, Mass. Some varieties, usually with evergreen foliage, suffer injury and sometimes winter kill North of this line.

PLANT DAYLILIES with bleached line on foliage at ground level, or with root crown approximately 1½ inches below surface.

MULCHING: A first winter mulch is desirable. The purpose is to protect the crown and the top soil a few inches around it from winter and early Spring thawing. Do not use soggy material. A nest of excelsior is good.

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